

Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of 2002 Biennial Regulatory Review -
Review of the Commission's Broadcast Ownership Rules
and Other Rules Adopted Pursuant to Section 202
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking,
MM Docket No. 02-277, (rel. Sept. 23, 2002)

To: The Secretary, FCC Commissioners, and Chief, Media Bureau

I am writing in response to Docket No. 02-277, The Biennial Review of the FCC's broadcast media ownership rules. I believe that the FCC should retain all of the current media ownership rules now in question. These rules serve the public interest by limiting the market power of already huge companies in the broadcast industry.

Diversity of ownership facilitates diversity of opinion.

I support the FCC's plan to hold a public hearing on this matter in Richmond, VA in February 2003. I encourage the Commission to hold similar hearings in all parts of the country in order to hear from the people who will be affected by any changes.

Thank you for considering my comments.

Sincerely,

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